

*****Trinity at a Glance*****

- **Today, Sunday January 11th immediately after Service**, we will hold the **Property Committee** Informational meeting.
- **Today, January 11, 2026**, after the Property Committee Informational meeting, **Trinity will be taking down the decorations and trees** in the Sanctuary. Please come and join us! Help is always appreciated!
- **Sunday January 18th immediately after Service** we will hold the **Finance Committee** Informational meeting.
- This year's **Annual Congregational Meeting** is scheduled for after Holy Communion at **11 am on Sunday, February 1st, 2026**. A quorum of 50 congregation members is needed. Please plan to attend. Thank you!
- **The next Blood Drive will be on Wednesday, February 11, 2026**. Contact Carol Wahlstrom if interested in helping or donating.
- **First Communion classes** are scheduled for **9am-9:50am on Sunday, March 15th & March 29th, 2026**. We meet in Fellowship Hall, beneath the Sanctuary. **First Communion Sunday is Sunday, April 12th, 2026**. Individuals who have not yet received the Sacrament of Holy Communion who are aged 7 or older are invited! Please register by emailing Pastor Phil (pastorphil@trinitylutheranottawa.com). Thank you!
- **We have a couple of 2026 calendars left (\$20). Profits go to the Growing Project**. Please contact the office during regular business hours if you would like one. Marj Nelson 815-973-1286 and Kate Reed 815-830-2061 also have copies available.
- Many people in Jamaica and Haiti have been severely impacted by Hurricane Helene. You can give help by giving to Lutheran Disaster Response. At give.ELCA.org/hurricanes, just type in "Lutheran Disaster Response," select Hurricane Helene, make a contribution. Or send a check to: Lutheran Disaster Response, ELCA Gift Processing Center, PO Box 1809, Merrifield VA 22116-8009.

WORSHIP ASSISTANT SCHEDULE -

Please sign up using the binder at the back of the aisle.

<p><u>Sunday, January 11, 2026</u> Crucifer/Acolyte: <i>Pearl</i> Ushers: Lector: <i>Shannon Matteson</i> Communion Assistants: <i>Shannon Matteson, Mike Matteson, Ann Enke</i> Altar Guild: <i>Jan Beckman, Becky Glaser</i> Video Tech: <i>Anne Lauterjung</i> Music Directors: <i>Matt Makeever & Mary Heider</i> Altar Flowers:</p>	<p><u>Sunday, January 18, 2026</u> Crucifer/Acolyte: <i>Pearl</i> Ushers: Lector: <i>Beth Schuett</i> Communion Assistants: <i>Beth Schuett</i> Altar Guild: <i>Debbie Guenther, Ann Enke</i> Video Tech: <i>Anne Lauterjung</i> Music Directors: <i>Matt Makeever & Mary Heider</i> Altar Flowers:</p>

● **CURRENT FINANCIAL REPORT:**

- Dec Income = \$19,284.48 (Income YTD = \$234,353.29)
- Dec Expense = \$18,099.46 (Expense YTD = \$240,134.30)
- Income Less Expense = -\$1,185.02 (Income Less Expense YTD = -\$5,781.01)
- Loan Payment = \$2,943.30
- Principal Payment = \$1,000.00
- Left On Loan = \$406.68

● **THIS WEEK @ TRINITY:**

- **Monday (1/12):** 10a Drum Fit (Community Room)
10a Staff Meeting (Office)
- **Tuesday (1/13):** 10a Sit Fit (Community Room)
7p Finance Committee (Board Room)
- **Wednesday (1/14)** 1p Bible Study (TBD)
6:30p Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
- **Thursday (1/15):** 10a Sit Fit (Community Room)
7p Church Council (Board Room)
- **Friday (1/16):** 7a Sunrise Rotary (Fellowship Hall)
- **Saturday (1/17):** *National Tulip Day!* 
- **Sunday (1/18)** 9a Sunday Session
9a Affirmation Class
10a Holy Communion & Baptism
11a Finance Committee Informational Meeting (Java Junction)